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Attorney Docket No. 11333US04

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION OF:) <u>Certificate of Mailing</u>
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SERIAL NO. 09/819,875) April 26,2004
FILED: MARCH 28, 2001) (Batc).
FOR: APPARATUS FOR IMPROVING THE COLD STARTING CAPABILITY OF AN ELECTROCHEMICAL FUEL CELL) Robert W. Fieseler, Reg. No. 31,826) (Typed or printed name of person) signing this certificate)) (Signature)
GROUP ART UNIT: 1745)
EXAMINER: M. Ruthkosky, Ph.D.))

PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136, the applicants hereby request a two-

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month extension of time to respond to the non-final Office Action dated November 24, 2003. A new continuation-in-part that claims priority benefits from the present application is submitted herewith.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the fee for an extension of time in the second month (large entity). Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-0017.

Respectfully submitted,

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